

## THE WEATHER

Tonight and Friday probably fair

## TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

## METAL QUOTATIONS

Silver	91 7/8
Copper	23 1/2
Lead	8 1/2
Quicksilver	\$1.08

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## MONSTER PARADE A TRIBUTE TO PATRIOTIC SPIRIT

## American Arms Will Dictate Peace When Peace Comes

## PERSHING AND UNITED STATES ARMY WILL DICTATE PEACE TERMS

Hamlin Says That Compared to Kaiser Sitting Bull Was a Philanthropist

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, April 11.—Speaking to more than fifteen hundred delegates, assembled at the sixth annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Charles S. Hamlin of the federal reserve board, said last night there would be no victory in the world war until the entire strength of the United States army and navy had been transferred to Europe. Mr. Hamlin spoke in the absence of Secretary McAdoo.

"Don't let this talk of a premature peace mislead you," he said. "The only peace that we shall see will be dictated in large part by General Pershing and the United States army."

The speaker dwelt upon German atrocities as a prime reason why American businessmen should see the necessity of exerting their full energies in prosecution of the war. "Some people say there were

atrocities practiced by the Indians against the whites," he said, "but compared to the Kaiser, Sitting Bull was a philanthropist."

The estimated cost of the war, Mr. Hamlin said, has been placed at \$18,000,000,000 annually, but has run slightly below that figure for the first year. He laid stress upon the part played by the federal reserve banking system in the financing of the war.

At present there are in the federal reserve banks \$1,800,000,000 in gold which, he said, is more than the gold reserve of the banks of Italy, Spain, France and England combined. He urged national saving as a most important factor in the financial welfare of the nation.

Speeches were also made by Harry A. Wheeler, former president of the chamber, and now United States food administrator for Illinois, and Waddell Catchings, chairman of the war committee of the chamber.

## AMERICANS REPULSE ATTACKS OF GERMANS, INFLECTING HEAVY LOSS

Catch Charging Huns Under Terrific Counter Barrage; No Prisoners Taken

(By Associated Press.)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Wednesday, April 10.—The German attack against the Americans northwest of Toul has been completely repulsed. Two German prisoners said the enemy planned the attack with 800 men. Effective American artillery checked it. The Americans lost no prisoners and one German prisoner died from wounds. The attack followed three days of violent artillery and it is believed that a large number of the enemy was killed and wounded. The infantry climbed from their shelters and attacked the enemy with machine guns and rifle after the American barrage had been lifted repulsing those that had not been dispersed by the artillery.

Seventy-two hours before the attack the Germans fired an increasing number of shells at the Americans, using gas extensively. At 5 o'clock this morning the German infantry signalled for a barrage and started toward the American line. The American gunners laid a counter barrage and immediately caught the Germans before they reached the American entanglements. Several bodies were seen hanging on the wire after the enemy had retired.

## BRITISH WITHDRAW FROM ARMENTIERES

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, April 11.—The war office has announced that the fighting is continuing from the La Basse canal to Ypres and the Comines canal. It is severe in the neighborhood of Lawe and the Lys canals. The British have withdrawn from Armentieres. There was heavy fighting late last night in the neighborhood of Ploegsteert, Messines and Wytschaete.

The Germans pushed on yesterday from Croix Du Bac south and west of Armentieres. A party of Germans were reported in the neighborhood of Steenwerck, five miles west of Armentieres, according to Reuter's correspondent. The enemy occupied Lastrun, but was evicted and driven across the Lawe by the British.

## PEACE TREATY DRASTIC

PETROGRAD, Wednesday, April 11.—Under the terms of the German peace treaty the commissioner of commerce announces, Russia lost 75,000 square kilometers of territory with 55,000,000 inhabitants or 32 per cent of the entire population of the country.

## ESTABLISH NAVAL STATION AT AZORES

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Guns have been landed on the Azores islands where the United States, with the consent of Portugal, has established a naval base to protect the Atlantic routes to northern Europe. It will be used as a base for American submarines, destroyers and other small craft and a bombing station for American airplanes, a number of which have already assembled there.

Negotiations are in progress to insure the full co-operation of the Portuguese authorities on the islands and the American forces. The value of the station has already been demonstrated.

## ANOTHER PEACE MOVE

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The fact that some Austrian official sought open peace negotiations with the United States, was made known today. Secretary Lansing said he recollected a man named Anderson whose first name he didn't recall, had been approached in Austria for the purpose of learning if America would hear of proposals.

## CANADIANS EAGER FOR GERMAN ATTACK

(By Associated Press.)

CANADIAN ARMY HEADQUARTERS, April 11.—Folled in their attempt to outflank Vimy ridge in the south, the Germans are now attempting the same maneuver from the north of Bethune. The anniversary of the date that Canada victorious in winning back so much of the coal lands of France finds those lands in battle again. The Canadians won Vimy ridge and behind it waits Germany's forces to attack.

All Tuesday afternoon, evening and yesterday morning our guns answered those of the enemy. Throughout the area from the Scarpe to Souchez little villages have known again the blood price of battle. Women and children are evacuating homes. Death has visited men. War broods over the ridge. From Lens to Arras ruin is being added to ruin. Smoky by day, rimmed in fire by night, our old battle grounds are alive again.

Constant crumbling of shells in Lievin, Arras, Acquies and other big and little centers is announced by the roar of our guns, sweeping the enemy front assembly and rear areas. Everywhere there is confidence and sure fore-knowledge that if the enemy attacks our heights his price for that attack will be terrible.

The temper of our forces is magnificent.

## HUNS START ANOTHER POLICY OF INTRIGUE

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Warning of a new German policy of intrigue, far overshadowing Zimmerman's efforts to embroil Mexico and Japan with the United States, and designed to cause a demoralization in the allied countries similar to that in Russia, was given to the national conference of American lecturers here yesterday by William English Walling of New York.

Declaring that the recent international labor conference at London had for its real purpose the arranging of an international socialistic conference to which German Socialists would be invited, Mr. Walling vigorously attacked the Socialists of the allied nations. He asserted their purpose is to bring about peace of their own dictation and that unless their efforts are frustrated "the democratically elected governments of France, England and America might as well abdicate."

## GERMANS GAIN GROUND

(By Associated Press.)

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, April 11.—The fighting continued today north of Armentieres. The British are holding Messines ridge and Wytschaete, which changed hands several times yesterday. Vigorous counter attacks have forced the enemy from Lacreeche, Nieppe and Hollebeke.

The Germans are in possession of half the village of Ploegsteert and Ploegsteert wood this morning.

## WILL AWAIT REPORT

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The president will take no action on the senate military committee majority report recommending the reorganization of the government's aircraft production machinery until he receives a report of the special investigation commission headed by Snowden and Marshall, it became known today. Marshall's report is expected soon.

## BESSARABIA JOINS RUMANIA

(By Associated Press.)

BASEL, Switzerland, April 11.—The Bessarabian diet has decided in favor of the union of Bessarabia with Rumania, according to the Bucharest. The northern part is almost wholly inhabited by Rumanians and Rumania has long desired the people of the Russian province to be united with her.

## OFFICIALS ARREST ALIEN ENEMIES

(By Associated Press.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 11.—Federal officials yesterday in an opening drive for the rounding up of some 350 enemy aliens accused of violating the enemy alien act, in various ways, gathered in about 200 who failed to comply with the regulations.

Some were taken for violating their permits, some for failing to register, some for pro-German activities and some for participation in election activities.

The raid was a complete surprise to most of the men. At the federal building finger prints and other methods of identifying the men were taken. A few were freed after a preliminary examination while others were locked up until their records can be examined.

## FINNS MAY JOIN WITH THE ALLIES

(By Associated Press.)

STOCKHOLM, April 11.—The Swedish government has received information that 15,000 German troops are operating in southern Finland and that they already had several small battles with the Finnish reserves.

The entente diplomats have received reports that thirty or forty Russian submarines, destroyers and four or five battleships are still off Helsingfors. Their capture is probably a part of the German aim. It is believed the warships all were rendered unserviceable by their crews. The American minister, Morris, had a conversation with M. Lind, a Finnish capitalist, and a brother-in-law of General Mannerheim, military leader of the Finnish government forces. When asked what America should consider as the attitude of Finland toward Germany, Lind declared emphatically that Germany merely had been asked to assist in restoring the government's power and that no vassalship was implied. He said: "Our whole history has been one of hardship and bloodshed, and now when freedom is in sight nobody, neither Germany or any other country, will be permitted to dominate Finland."

## HOT DEBATE STARTS ON AMERICAN LABOR

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—American labor in its relation to the prosecution of the war, was attacked and defended in the senate yesterday during debate on a conference report on a bill making it unlawful to obstruct the manufacture of war materials or to damage war factories or their products. Objection centered on a house amendment, accepted by the conferees, exempting from the measure's provisions workmen who strike for higher wages or better living conditions. The debate had not been concluded when the senate adjourned.

## INDIAN EXCITEMENT

(By Associated Press.)

RENO, April 11.—Indian service officials believe the excitement of Indians in eastern Nevada and western Utah is caused by unidentified white men and will abate soon. Fort Douglas troops are ready to entrain if needed.

## CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The second casualty list contained the names of twenty-two killed in action, one died from wounds, two from accident, four from disease and three missing. Eleven were severely wounded, and sixty-eight were slightly wounded.

## CONFESSES LEADING MOB TO PRAGER

(By Associated Press.)

COLLINSVILLE, Ill., April 11.—Joseph Rietgel, 28 years old, a Collinsville miner and formerly in the United States army, told a coroner's jury here yesterday that he was the leader of the mob which last Friday morning hanged Robert P. Praeger, an enemy alien, according to information given out by persons at the hearing. He described in detail the events leading up to the tragedy and during the course of his reported confession implicated Wesley Beaver in the leadership, it was stated.

He is quoted as saying he and Beaver were the men who found Praeger hiding in the basement of the city hall and dragged him out.

Rietgel's confession was made early in the day to a St. Louis newspaperman, but persons admitted to the inquest, which had been made secret, asserted last night Rietgel reiterated before the jury every detail previously mentioned.

## URGES WORKERS TO SPEED UP

(By Associated Press.)

BOSTON, April 11.—Copies of a letter from Vice-Admiral William S. Sims, commander of the United States naval forces in European waters, urging workers to do their utmost to speed up ship construction are to be placed today in the pay envelopes of the 15,000 men employed in the shipbuilding plants at Quincy and Squantum.

The letter is addressed to Vice-President Joseph W. Powell, of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding company and the writer declares that the matter of supplying more ships, particularly destroyers, is one of the greatest importance.

## GRAVE CHARGES ABOUT COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—Evidence in support of the charge that "for the last eight months there has been a conspiracy in the San Francisco office of the state council of defense to hamper and delay the war work entrusted by government to bureaus," will be laid before the United States district attorney, Leo Owen, formerly assistant secretary of the council, announced. Owen was dismissed by Vice-Chairman Naftzger but said he had previously sent the governor his resignation. Owen said he was forwarding the council of national defense a transcript of the facts regarding the "California state council and its administrative heads."

## INTERCEDE FOR CLANCY

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Senators Phelan and Johnson and Representatives Kahn and Nolan have requested the president to commute immediately the sentence of Eugene Clancy of San Francisco, serving a six years' sentence for conviction in the dynamite conspiracy.

## CASUALTY LIST

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Today's casualties were one killed in action, two died of wounds, five of accidents, thirteen of disease, four are missing, sixty-nine severely wounded and thirty slightly wounded.

## EXTRA LATERAL LAW

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Senator Pittman has introduced an amendment to mining laws which will permit miners to mine ore only from the veins within the vertical lines of their claims.

## THOUSANDS OF PATRIOTS MARCH IN MONSTER PARADE HELD LAST NIGHT

Subscriptions to Third Liberty Loan Mount When Citizens Turn Out En Masse

"Over the top" is the slogan that Tonopah demonstrated last evening in the great parade opening the third Liberty loan drive, and over the top we went with a parade that was six times as large as any parade ever held in Tonopah. Conservative estimates of the number of people in the parade place the figures at over 5000. It was at least one mile in length. Few people stood on the sidewalks, and had the nerve to face that crowd of patriotic citizens as mere spectators. While the dense line of marching patriots was passing along the street several boys on bicycles rode along the curb crying "Slackers" at those who were standing on the sidewalks.

It is well to comment upon the fact that two of the principal cafes, nearly all the saloons, business houses and the Butler Theater suspended business and closed their doors during the demonstration.

The parade started from upper Main street and Florence avenue at 8 o'clock, under direction of Marshal M. R. Averill, with W. T. Cuddy, E. H. McMurray, Chief of Police Grant as aides, and President H. R. Cook of the Nye county council of defense, leading in his auto.

Immediately behind the marshal

## TO REPRESENT BRITAIN

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, April 11.—Andrew Bonar Law announced that Major-General Sackville West has been appointed acting British military representative to the Versailles war council.

## GET HONOR FLAG

(By Associated Press.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 11.—The Liberty loan campaign executive board has announced honor flags for sixteen additional California cities which reached their quotas. Nevada reported that allotments of Esmeralda, White Pine and Lincoln counties had been subscribed, making six counties that have passed their quotas.

## KILL MEXICANS

(By Associated Press.)

SIERRA BLANCA, Texas, April 11.—Four Mexicans were killed and at least five wounded yesterday near here when Americans returned a fire from the Mexican side in the vicinity of a camp with a large force of Mexicans, who are holding three American ranch employees as hostages.

## MAY WITHDRAW MARINES

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, April 11.—The foreign consults at Vladivostok has officially announced that anarchy caused the landing of allied marines and that the forces are to be withdrawn when order is restored, according to Reuter's Petrograd correspondent.

A Moscow dispatch says the Bolshevik government has opened negotiations with Berlin for a temporary suspension of the Brest Litovsk treaty regarding the demobilization of the Russian army in view of a possible necessity of defending Russian territory against foreign invasion.

## TODAY AND A YEAR AGO.

Official readings of the thermometer by the United States observer at Tonopah:	1918	1917
5 a. m.	38	39
9 a. m.	45	49
12 noon	58	57
Maximum April 10	54	50
Minimum April 10	34	27
Relative humidity at noon	66	66
Today, 55 per cent.		

and his aides came the Tonopah military band, then the color bearer, Ed Harmer, a civil war veteran, the G. A. R., Spanish War Veterans, Woman's Relief Corps, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine and the Boy Scouts. Following the Scouts was a beautifully decorated truck on which was built the arched throne for the Goddess of Liberty. Under this electric lighted arch stood Miss Helen Mitchell as the Goddess of Liberty appealing for aid to liberate humanity with John Dolk representing Uncle Sam at the wheel.

Following the Goddess came the Tonopah National Rifle club, with which organization over 200 armed riflemen marched. These are the Tonopah Minute Men who marched in a dense column of fours, like veterans, directed by Chris Dowler, John Serventi and Al Kellher as file closers.

Behind the armed brigade came the colored mens' organization in column of fours like the rifle men ahead.

Then came Wells-Fargo float, an old Concord stage coach, filled top and bottom with passengers. The stage carried a big banner bearing

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## MAY PAY IN BITS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The treasury department is considering the endorsing of legislation authorizing installment payments on income excess profits taxes due June 16, the internal revenue commissioner told the delegation from the State Manufacturers' association.

## HALEY DROPS DEAD

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—S. N. Haley of Brooklyn, N. Y., dropped dead last night while addressing a gathering of fish dealers in conference at the food administration.

## CONVICT SOCIALIST

(By Associated Press.)

MINNEAPOLIS, April 11.—J. O. Bental, Socialist candidate for governor, has been convicted of violating the espionage act. He will be sentenced Friday.

## TAKE OVER VESSELS

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The president will make a proclamation tonight that will order all American coastwise vessels to be delivered to the railroad administration.

## BUTLER THEATRE

## TO-NIGHT

JACK PICKFORD

and LOUISE HUFF

in "THE GHOST HOUSE"

See the happiest boy and girl in the world in the happiest little mystery play ever written.

Also

PARAMOUNT-BRAY

CARTOON COMEDY

TOMORROW

KITTY GORDON

in

"HER HOUR"

and

"THE HIDDEN HAND"

Matinee 1:30

Evening 7 and 8:30